

NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening when an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

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VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

Editor's Note: The following Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening was reviewed per Executive Order 2011-05 as issued by Governor Brewer. (See the text of the executive order on page 2389.)

[R12-172]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 3, Agriculture
Chapter and its heading: 11, Veterinary Medical Examining Board
Article and its heading: 7, Veterinary Medical Premises and Equipment
Section numbers: R3-11-701 through R3-11-707
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
The Board is amending rules to make them consistent with industry standards and agency practice. It also is making needed changes identified in a five-year-review report approved by the Council on November 3, 2009.
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 18 A.A.R. 1347, June 15, 2012
- 4. Name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**
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- 5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
The Board will accept comments during business hours at the address listed in item 4. Information regarding an oral proceeding will be included in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.
- 6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
To be determined

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ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM (AHCCCS)

ARIZONA LONG-TERM CARE SYSTEM

Editor's Note: The following Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening was reviewed per Executive Order 2012-03 as issued by Governor Brewer. (See the text of the executive order on page 2389.) The Governor's Office authorized the notice to proceed through the rulemaking process on August 16, 2012.

[R12-173]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 9, Health Services
Chapter and its heading: 28, Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) – Arizona Long-term Care System
Article and its heading: 7, Standards For Payments
Section numbers: R9-28-702 and R9-28-703 (As part of this rulemaking, the Administration may add, delete, or modify Sections as necessary.)
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
A.R.S. § 36-2999.52 authorizes the Administration to administer a provider assessment on health care items and services provided by nursing facilities and to make supplemental payments to nursing facilities for covered Medicaid expenditures. The Administration is proposing rule to delineate the method for imposing the assessment, the criteria for qualifying for supplemental payments, and the method for determining the amount of supplemental payments.

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3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:

None

4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:

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5. The time which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:

The Administration will accept written comments Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the address indicated in question #4. Public hearings will be scheduled later to provide a forum for interactive discussion with interested parties. E-mail comments will be accepted.

6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:

The Notice of Proposed Rulemaking will be filed on the same date as the Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening.